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METHOD OF PREVENTING
COMBUSTION BY APPLYING AN
AQUEOUS SUPERABSORBENT
POLYMER COMPOSITION; AND FIRE
RETARDANT ARTICLE INCLUDING
SUPERABSORBENT POLYMER

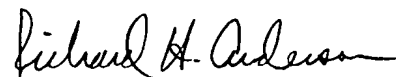
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Sir:

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This information disclosure statement is being filed:

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- ☒ 2. after the time period specified in paragraph 1 above, but, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a final action under 37 CFR §1.113 or notice of allowance under 37 CFR §1.311. Therefore, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(c), submitted herewith is:
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 - A. ☒ a certification as specified in 37 CFR §1.97(e).
 - B. ☐ the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p) for submission of an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR §1.97(c).
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 - A. a certification as specified in 37 CFR §1.97(e);
 - B. the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(i); and
 - C. the accompanying petition under 37 CFR §1.97(d).

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